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SUBJECT: COMPLAINT AGAINST U.S. AIRCRAFT AND PILOTS

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED LETTER NO. DAC56, DATED JUNE 6, 1977, SIGNED BY JOSE C. SALZBERGER, ACTING DIRECTOR OF CIVIL AERONAUTICS, REQUESTING THAT APPROPRIATE U.S. AUTHORITIES BE INFORMED ABOUT AN INCIDENT INVOLVING LEARJETS N-44FE (PILOT HARVEY HOTT) AND N-33HM (PILOT THOMAS BAN).

2. THE TWO AIRCRAFT HAD BEEN GIVEN AUTHORIZATION ON MAY 17, 1977, TO LAND AT MIRANDA AIRBASE IN CARACAS, ALSO CALLED LA CARLOTA AIRPORT, TO PICK UP A SICK PERSON AND SEVERAL OTHERS ACCOMPANYING HIM. WHEN LEAVING, AIRCRAFT N-44FE WAS AUTHORIZED TO TAXI TO TAKE-OFF POSITION. WHEN N-44FE WAS AUTHORIZED TO TAKE-OFF, N-33HM FOLLOWED SUIT WITHOUT AUTHORIZATION AND A FORMATION TAKE-OFF TOOK PLACE. N-33HM DID NOT RESPOND TO TOWER CALLS. BOTH AIRCRAFT HAD FILED FLIGHT PLANS TO FKLL.

3. THE GOV OFFICIAL DOES NOT REQUEST ANY PARTICULAR ACTION BUT DID STATE THAT BOTH CIVIL AND MILITARY REGULATIONS AND CUSTOMARY PILOT BEHAVIOR WERE VIOLATED.
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